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STATE PASS AGRICULTURE FOR MEEKER AND ANDERSON

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SUBJECT: 1977 MEAT IMPORT PROGRAM

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1. MCGOLDRICK CALLED EMBOFF DECEMBER 1 TO ASK HIM TO PASS ON

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TO WASHINGTON INFORMATION THAT AUSTRALIA WOULD BE REPRESENTED
AT BEEF NEGOTIATIONS BY ONE AND POSSIBLY TWO REPRESENTATIVES FROM
CANBERRA, PLUS WASHINGTON EMBASSY TEAM. MCGOLDRICK SAID THAT
WHILE DECISION AS TO EXACTLY WHO WOULD BE ATTENDING FROM CANBERRA
HAD NOT YET BEEN MADE, HE WOULD PASS NAME(S)
TO US AS SOON AS KNOWN.

2. FYI: WHEN WE TALKED WITH MCGOLDRICK EARLIER IN WEEK HE
WAS AFRAID THAT SEVERE TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS ON GOVERNMENT
OFFICIALS MIGHT MAKE IT NECESSARY TO COVER NEGOTIATIONS BY
WASHINGTON EMBASSY TEAM PLUS PERHAPS A REPRESENTATIVE FROM
AUSTRALIAN EMBASSY IN OTTAWA. AT THE TIME, HOWEVER, HE TOLD
US THAT HE WOULD RATHER WE NOT TELL WASHINGTON THIS FOR FEAR
OF MISINTERPRETATION AS TO SERIOUSNESS WITH WHICY CANBERRA
VIEWED NEGOTIATIONS. MCGOLDRICK SAID YESTERDAY THAT
NECESSARY MINISTERIAL APPROVAL HAD NOW BEEN OBTAINED TO SEND
TEAM FROM CANBERRA. END FYI.
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